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Containing the freſheſt Advices, both Foreign and Domeſtic.

TUESDAY, MAY 12, 1767.

Original Letter from the younger VILLIERS, Duke of BUCKINGHAM, upon his Death-bed, to the Rev. Doctor WARBURTON.

Dear Doctor

I Always looked upon you as a man of true virtue, and know you to be a perſon of ſound underſtanding; for however I may have acted in oppoſition to the principles of religion, or the dictates of reaſon, I can honeſtly aſſure you, I had always the higheſt veneration for both. The world and I may now ſhake hands, for I dare affirm we are heartily weary of one another. O Doctor, what a prodigal have I been of that moſt valuable of all poſſeſſions, Time! I have ſquandered it away with a profuſion unparallelled; and now that the enjoyment of a few days would be worth a hecatomb of worlds, I cannot flatter myſelf with a proſpect of half a dozen hours.

How deſpicable, my dear friend, is that man, who never prays to his God but in the time of diſtreſs!——In what manner can he ſupplicate that omnipotent being, in his affliction, with reverence, whom, in the tide of his proſperity, he never remembered with dread?——Don't brand me with infidelity, my dear Doctor, when I tell you, I am almoſt aſhamed to offer up my petitions at the throne of grace, or of imploring that divine mercy in the next world, which I have ſo ſcandalouſly abuſed in this!——Shall ingratitude to man be looked upon as the blackeſt of crimes, and not ingratitude to God? Shall an inſult offered to the King, be looked upon in the moſt offenſive light, and yet no notice be taken when the King of kings is treated with indignity and diſreſpect!

The companions of my former libertiniſm would ſcarcely believe their eyes, my dear Doctor, were you to ſhew them this epiſtle. They would laugh at me as a dreaming enthuſiaſt, or pity me as a timorous wretch, who was ſhocked at the appearance of futurity. But whoever laughs at me for being right, or pities me for being ſenſible of my errors, is more intitled to my compaſſion than my reſentment.——A future ſtate may very well ſtrike terror into any man who has not acted well in this life; and he muſt have an uncommon ſhare of courage indeed, who does not ſhrink at the preſence of his God.

You ſee, my dear Doctor, the apprehenſion of death will ſoon bring the moſt profligate to a proper uſe of their underſtanding.——To what a ſituation am I now reduced!——Is this odious little hut a ſuitable lodging for a prince? or is this anxiety of my mind becoming the characteriſtic of a Chriſtian? From my rank and fortune, I might have expected affluence to wait upon my life; from my religion and underſtanding, peace to ſmile upon my end; inſtead of which I am afflicted with poverty, and haunted with remorſe; deſpiſed by my country, and, I fear, forſaken by my God!——There is nothing ſo dangerous, my dear Doctor, as extraordinary abilities.——I cannot be accuſed of vanity now, by being ſenſible I was once poſſeſſed of uncommon qualifications, more eſpecially as I ſincerely regret that I was ever bleſſed with any at all.——My rank in life made theſe accompliſhments ſtill more conſpicuous; and, fascinated with the general applauſe which they procured, I never conſidered about the proper means by which they ſhould be diſplayed; hence, to purchaſe a ſmile from a blockhead I deſpiſed, have I frequently treated the virtuous with diſreſpect; and ſported with the holy name of Heaven, to obtain a laugh from a parcel of fools, who were intitled to nothing but my contempt.

Your men of wit, my dear Doctor, generally look upon themſelves as diſcharged from the duties of religion, and confine the doctrines of the goſpel to people of meaner underſtandings; it is a ſort of derogation, in their opinion, to comply with the rules of Chriſtianity; and they reckon *that* man poſſeſſed of a narrow genius, who ſtudies to be good.——What a pity that the holy writings are not made the criterion of true judgment! or that any one ſhould paſs for a fine gentleman in this world, but he that ſeems ſolicitous about his happineſs in the next!

My dear Doctor, I am forſaken by all my acquaintance, utterly neglected by the friends of my boſom, and the dependents of my bounty; but no matter.——I am not now fit to converſe with the firſt, and have no ability to ſerve the latter; let me not be caſt off wholly, however, by the good; favour me with a viſit, dear Doctor, as ſoon as poſſible; writing to you gives me ſome eaſe, eſpecially upon a ſubject I could talk of for ever.——I am of opinion this is the laſt viſit I ſhall ever ſolicit from you.——My diſtemper is powerful; come and pray for the departing ſpirit of the unhappy BUCKINGHAM.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

JAMES POYAS,

Intending to embark for England in a few Days, will,

On FRIDAY next, the 15th Inſtant,

Expoſe to publick Sale, his remaining Houſe *and* Kitchen-Furniture, *amongſt which are,*

SOME very neat Mahogany Tables and Chairs, a neat and exceeding good TABLE, CLOCK, &c.

He for the laſt Time, intreats thoſe indebted to him, to ſettle before the above Day, as their Accounts will then be put into the Hands of an Attorney, to be ſued for:——And thoſe to whom he is indebted (if any there be) are deſired to bring in their Accounts for immediate Payment.

May 11, 1767.

THE Subſcriber being held for Payment of all the Co-partnerſhip Accounts of WEYMAN & CARNE, requeſts all thoſe indebted to the ſaid Co-partnerſhip, to pay the ſame immediately, to Meſſrs. WILLIAM ROPER, RICHARD BERRESFORD, and ROBERT WILSON.——The preſſing Demands againſt the ſaid Co-partnerſhip, obliges me to be Brief with thoſe indebted to it, and inform them, that this is the laſt Notice they may expect, from their humble Servant,

May 11, 1767. EDWARD WEYMAN.

FRANCES SWALLOW,

BEGS Leave to inform her Friends and Cuſtomers, that ſhe has juſt imported, in the PORTLAND, Captain HIGGINS, from LONDON, a compleat Aſſortment of MILLINERY and other GOODS, which ſhe will ſell at her Store on the Bay, on the moſt reaſonable Terms.

She has likewiſe a Parcel of the moſt durable Table-Linen ever imported; alſo a Number of Chip Hats, which will be diſpoſed of at *Eight* for *One*, Caſh.

N. B. She has alſo Superfine blue and Parſon's grey Broad Cloth, which will be ſold at *Nine* for *One* Caſh, or ſhort Credit.

JUST IMPORTED,

And to be ſold cheap by the Subſcriber, in King-ſtreet, VIZ.

LARGE and ſmall Bibles,
Labourn's Surveying,
Wilſon's ditto,
Patoun's Navigation,
Holliday's Gunnery,
Fiſher's Arithmetick,
Wiſe's ditto,
Hill's ditto,
Wingate's ditto,
Cocker's ditto,
Fiſher's Companion,
Dalton's Juſtice,
Blount's Dictionary of Law Terms,
Kable's Juſtice,
Practick Part of the Law,
Attorney's Pocket Companion
Burket on the New Teſtament,
Tillotſon's Works,
Whiſton's Theory of the Earth,
Watts's Logick,
Peruvian Tales,
Complaint,
Blackmore on the Gout,
Sedgwick on Liquors,
Great Aſſize,
Boyer's Telemachus,
Ray on the Creation,
Gentleman inſtructed,
Dryden's Virgil,
Ditto Juvinal,
Devil Dick,
Clark on Study,
Rapin's Hiſtory,
Turner's Syphillis,
Wiſeman's Surgery,
Tale of a Tub,
Anſon's Voyages,
Drake's Travels,
Drelincourt on Death,
Brooke's Gazetteer,
Salmon's ditto,
Gradus,
Young's Dictionary,
Cole's ditto,
Dyche's ditto,
Bailey's ditto,
Pope's Works,
Ditto Homer,
Milton's Paradiſe Loſt and Regain'd,
Ariſtotle's Midwifery,
Ditto Problems,
Ditto Maſter-piece,
Dito Laſt Legacy,
Culpepper on Midwifery,
Spectator,
Guardian,
Tatler,
Oeconomy of Human Life,
Jenks on Devotion,
Duty of Man,
Sherlock on Death,
Webſter's Book-keeping,
Croxall's Eſop,
Fiſher's Engliſh Grammar,
Greenwood's ditto,
Song-Books,
Ready Reckoner,
Watts's Hymns,
Familiar Letters,
Laugh and be Fat,
Whole Duty of a Woman,
Pleaſures of Matrimony,
Come and welcome,
Cook-maid's beſt Companion.

With a great Variety of entertaining Hiſtories, &c. &c.

LIKEWISE all Kinds of Engliſh School-Books; Demoy, Poſt, ruled and gilt Writing-Paper; as alſo other writing and drawing Paper; Surveyor's Inſtruments, Scales, Carpenters Rules, very beſt Pen-knives, with a Variety of Stationary, too tedious to enumerate.

He for the laſt Time earneſtly intreats thoſe who ſo long have put him off, with *call To-morrow*, &c. to Diſcharge their reſpective Accounts, as any further Procraſtination muſt inevitably oblige him to purſue Meaſures, which may not only prove diſadvantageous to them, but alſo very reluctant to their moſt humble Servant,

F. NICHOLSON.

N. B. Youth educated as uſual, and the greateſt Improvements made.——Old Books bought, and let out to read. *May* 11, 1767.

TO BE SOLD,

A Young bay HORSE, near 15 Hands high, very ſtrong and ſprightly.—Enquire of the Printer.

RUN-AWAY from the ſubſcriber, a Negro woman named *Nanny*, formerly the property of Richard Baker, and lately purchaſed from James Briſbane, in Charles-Town, and is ſuppoſed to be harboured at Mr. Baker's plantation, near Dorcheſter, or in Charles-Town. A reward of *Five Pounds* currency, will be paid to any perſon who will deliver her to the Warden of the Work-houſe, or the ſubſcriber; and *Ten Pounds* to whoever gives information of her being harboured by a white perſon, or if by a Negro *Five Pounds*, to be paid on conviction of the offender.

May 9, 1767. JOSIAH PERRY.

NOWELL and LORD,

Have imported in the laſt Veſſels from London *and* Briſtol,

A Compleat Aſſortment of GOODS, which they will ſell on the moſt reaſonable Terms, WHOLESALE and RETAIL, at their STORE on the BAY.

RUM, SUGAR, SALT, &c. as uſual, and a few Pieces of checquer'd, ſtriped, and plain SILKS, at *Nine* for *One*. *May* 11, 1767.

JOHN SCOTT,

Has imported from LONDON, *per Captain* Higgins, *and other Veſſels*;

IRISH linens, ſagathees and duroys, nankeens, britannias, cambricks, lawns, India perſians, India and Engliſh chints, variety of dark purple callicoes, coloured ditto, beſt double ginghams, new faſhioned ribbons, beſt white gloves and mitts, with wrok'd backs; pavillion gauze, umbrelloes, mens and womens white thread and cotton hoſe, men's black ſilk ditto, crow ſilk, china, alamode and ſarſanet, beſt half ell bombazeen, crow poplins, White-Chapel needles, beſt common ditto, ſilk ginghams for mens ſummer wear, head lace and edgings, huckaback, fine white chints and hummums, clouting diaper, brown hollands, diapers, damaſk table-cloths, cotton hollands, piſtol lawn, plain and figured dimity, jeans and fuſtians, checks and ſtripes, oznabrugs and Heſſians, garlix and platilloes, fine and coarſe hats, black ſerge denim, beſt Flanders bed-ticks, princes linen, ſewing ſilk, ſpice, beſt Poland ſtarch, knives and forks, hair brooms, locks, with a variety of other goods. Alſo, Rum, Sugar, and Salt, and a quantity of milk pans, are to be ſold cheap, at his ſtore on the Bay.

SAMUEL BRAILSFORD,

INTENDING ſoon for England, in order to entitle himſelf to the benefit of the Attachment Act, gives this publick notice, That he is, in the mean time, ready to appear, give bail, or anſwer to any action, ſummons, or ſuit, that may be brought or iſſued againſt him.——All perſons who have any demands againſt him, are deſired to ſend them in immediately for payment. *May* 11, 1767.

GEORGE THOMSON,

HAS removed from his late Store in Broad-ſtreet, to the one in Tradd-ſtreet, formerly poſſeſſed by Meſſrs. Maryck and Moultrie.——He has on Hand a compleat Aſſortment of GOODS, fit for the Seaſon, which he will diſpoſe of on the moſt reaſonable Terms.

THOSE Gentlemen whoſe Notes and Accounts were due in January, and the firſt of May, are deſired to diſcharge the ſame by the firſt of July, or I aſſure them I cannot help acting diſagreeable to them and myſelf: And as it is a difficult Matter to get a Line or two to ſeveral Gentlemen in the Country, I hope they will take this as an earneſt Solicitation, from their moſt humble Servant, JOSHUA LOCKWOOD.

At WEYMAN's

Looking-Glaſs Shop in Church-Street,

[To which he is removed]

Near Colonel BENJAMIN SMITH's,

IS PERFORMED,

LOOKING-GLASS grinding, poliſhing, Diamond-cuting, ſilvering and framing: Alſo the CABINET and CHAIR-WORK Buſineſs; in which different Branches, he will be much obliged to thoſe who pleaſe to favour him with their Commands. *May* 11, 1767.

Savannah, in Georgia, April 23, 1767.

RUN-AWAY from on board the ſloop Alexander, Zachariah Burchmore, maſter, the 3d inſtant, a likely Negro Fellow called JAMIE, about 5 feet 9 inches high, ſpeaks good Engliſh and ſome French, a little pitted with the ſmall-pox; took with him a ſnuff-coloured broad cloth coat, and a grey one with white buttons, ſeveral waiſtcoats, breeches, ſhirts, &c. A reward of THREE GUINEAS will be given to any perſon who will deliver him to Meſſrs. CAMPBELL and Son, in Charles-Town, or to the ſubſcriber at Savannah in Georgia. ALEXANDER WYLY.

STOLEN or ſtrayed from the plantation belonging to the eſtate of Doctor BROUN;

A BLACK HORSE,

About 14 hands and a half high, with a bob tail and hog'd main; eight years old, branded on the off buttock I L. Alſo,

A SORREL HORSE,

About 14 hands high, with a white blaze on his face, branded on the mounting ſhoulder I, and on the mounting buttock W; hog main'd, and the lower part of his feet almoſt white. Whoever brings the ſaid HORSES to me in Charles-Town, ſhall have TEN POUNDS reward for each. AARON LOOCOCK.

FOUND by a Negro in Elliott-ſtreet, a plain GOLD RING. The Owner deſcribing the POSIE ingraved within it, may have it. Apply to the Printer.

EXTRACT of a LETTER from LONDON, January 16.

DURING the present Recess of Parliament, and the consequent Stagnation in Politicks, I cannot better entertain you by this Packet, than by giving you the best Account I am able of the most famous Debate in all August Assembly, the Tenth of last Month, on reading the Indemnity Bill.

After the Motion was made for committing it, the Duke of R——d stood up, and expressed his Approbation of the Bill, as he did of the Measure which occasioned it; but that as the Law was thereby violated, and the Constitution wounded, it was necessary and proper to apply this Remedy, to indemnify the Persons who had acted under the Proclamation, and to prevent such a Proceeding from being drawn into a Precedent; and he approved of it more, as upon a former Day's Debate certain Lords, high in Office, and some of them remarkable for their Knowledge in the Law, had advanced very extraordinary Doctrines, and giving their positive Opinions, that this was a legal Measure; Doctrines which he could not approve, and Opinions he could not adopt; that they appeared to him to unhinge the Constitution, and bind us with the Chains of Tyranny and Slavery.——That these Lords had now a fair Opportunity of boldly avowing those Principles, and supporting them with the Arguments which they themselves were convinced with, or of doing that which great and generous Minds were at all times ready to do, retract their erroneous Opinion, and confess their Ignorance and Mistake.

Lord N——a spoke next. He said, no man ever gave his Opinion more boldly than himself, and he always gave it from the Conviction of his own Heart, founded upon any little Knowledge he had from Reading, Experience and Observation;——that he was sorry he had Reason to complain to their Lordships, that any Opinion he gave in a former Debate, should have been used with so much Freedom in another House, as well as in most publick Companies, and twisted and distorted, to throw Reflections upon his Character and Principles;—— that he had then said what he now repeated, that he thought the Embargo was a legal Act. He then proceeded to give his Definition of the word LEGAL, which he endeavoured to persuade their Lordships, was not to be taken in that confined and limited Sense, in which it was understood in the petty Courts of Law.

Lord C——n then got up. He said, he rose thus early in the Debate, to clear himself from those Impressions, which a Misapprehension of his Sentiments, upon a former Day's Debate, may have made upon their Lordships, and which the noble Duke who spoke first, seemed to throw out;——that, for his Part, he never entertained any Doubt of the Legality of the Measure under Consideration, and that he flattered himself his Arguments, which coincided very much with the noble Lord's who spoke before him, would render it as clear to their Lordships.——In a Question of this Kind, he said, he could by no Means confine himself to the strict, narrow, circumscribed meaning, generally put upon the Word legal, that limited Idea affixed to it in Westminster Hall:—— He then proceeded to give his own Meaning and Construction of it, which he made a Jus Naturæ; quoted Mr. Locke, and other Writers, upon Government, and entered very deeply into a logical and scholastical Discussion of the Point.

Lord M——d next stood up, and made the best Speech he ever uttered before. He said, He paid no Regard to whatever might be advanced in the Works of such Authors; neither did he think that Writers upon Government, in general, were always to be relied on, or a blind Obedience given to every Position they advanced;——that they were talking of Facts, as applicable to their own Constitution, which he had always considered, and spoken of, as a Government by Law; that no Person or Set of Men, were superior to the Law; that no Power or Authority could dispense with the Law; that the Crown is settled by and under the Law, and is invested with no Prerogative that is not fixed and determined, either by the Common or Statute Law;——that by the Common Law he meant Custom, and Prescription;——and that in no Case whatever can any Necessity be set up, or pleaded to extend the King's Prerogative.——He then proceeded, in a Manner the most elegant, forcible, and convincing, to trace the Nature of our Constitution from its first Dawn to its present Time, and shewed that the great Struggle of the People had always been to prevent any pretended Necessity of the Crown, and pointed out many of the Statues in Favour of the People, wherein the Crown had always insisted to have a Clause, saving the Necessity of the Crown, which was generally made use of, as Colour for Oppression.——That sometimes, indeed, the Commons had been told enough to throw out their Clauses, but that in all Cases where they had been by Influence carried through, these Laws never had any Effect.——He then went through all the Arguments for and against Ship-Money, and shewed, that in the great Debates upon that Subject, it was not the Sum asked that was objected to, but the Doctrine by which it was demanded.——He next instanced a Case from the States in Normandy, who complaining that many grevious Contributions were raised upon them, an Arret was published in their Favour, that forbid levying any Sums not ordered by Law, saving the Necessity of the great Dukes, &c. which destroyed the whole, for there was never wanting a Pretence of Necessity.——He then recapitulated all the Arguments that had been urged on the opposite Side, and answered them, one by one, with that Solitude of Reasoning, the Result of true Knowledge, which never fails to carry Conviction along with it.

Lord C——n answered him, but the Bent of his Speech seemed rather to find Fault with the Arguments, on which Lord M——d built his Opinion, than to declare his own. His Speech was in Truth so prolix, that it was impossible to retain it. He spoke much of Liberty, Necessity, Expediency, Dearth, Famine, the Miseries of Want, &c. and gave many Assurances of his own Integrity, and Disinterestedness.

Lord M——d replied, and, with great Eloquence, confuted every thing Lord C——n had advanced; and concluded, that he, unpensioned, unplaced, without Reward or reversionary Grant, had, on every Occasion, to the best of his Abilities, assisted his Royal Master in every Act of Administration, and that, from Affection to his Person, and Love to his Government, as well as from the Zeal he had for the Honour of the British Crown, he would always do his utmost to support it with that Dignity, which he hoped to see it ever maintain.

Lord C——n stood up again, and replied to him, but still kept off entering directly into the Merits of the Case.

The Duke of R——d rose up again.——He said, he had listened with Attention to the noble Lord who spoke last, in both the Harrangues he had delivered to their Lordships, and yet he could form no Judgment of his Opinion.—— That the last time this Question had been agitated, he declared boldly to their Lordships, that the Embargo was a legal Act, but now he declined using the Word, nor had he once this Day declared, whether he thought it legal or illegal.——That he considered it as a Rock threatning much Danger; of which, like a careful Pilot, he wished to steer clear.——That if he still continued of his former Opinion, why did he not declare it? If he is convinced that he was then in the Wrong, was he ashamed to own it? At present, says he, he is neither black nor white; he neither says Yes, or No.

Lord C——n replied, That he ever was always ready to give his Opinion at all Times, and in all Places; that he despised quibbling, of which he was at present accused;——that had the noble Duke attended to him, he would easily have learned his Opinion, which, says he, I hear repeat in my Place, That the Embargo was an illegal Measure. He concluded his Speech with saying, that he wished to conciliate the Minds of all Ranks and Degrees of Men; but while he continued a M——r, he would act for the Public Good, to the best of his Abilities, and boldly look the proudest Connections of this Kingdom in the Face.

The Duke of R——d stood up again. He said, that, like a Slave put to the Torture, he had at last confessed what he before seemed willing to evade. When he came to answer the last Part of Lord's C——n's Speech, he repeated the Word conciliate—conciliate, my Lords, he may wish it, but alas! it is a Task he never can perform; for by his Insolence, and imperious Behaviour, he has alienated.....

Here he was called to Order;—and, after a short Pause, he proceeded.——These, my Lords, are harsh Words, perhaps they are improper ones; if they are so, I humbly ask Pardon of this House; I might have conveyed my Idea as strong by a Circumlocution, but Truth must not be spoke at all Times.—— Here he was called to Order again.

Lord C——n then stood up, and said, This Attack from the noble Duke is as unprecedented, as it is unexpected; but any Man who vaguely accuses another of Insolence, without specifying any particular Instance, is the only Person who can be said to be guilty of Insolence; that with respect to himself it was false, and he dared any Man to say, he had ever treated him so.

The Duke of R——d replied, Instances are not far to seek, were not this an improper Time and Place; but I could give your Lordships such Instances----Here he was called to Order.

Lord M——t then stood up, and said, he thought both were in Fault; but that they should be enjoined to past their Words of Honour, that nothing more should follow from this.

Here there was a long Pause!

The Duke of R——d then said, That he had already asked Pardon of that House for some improper, and perhaps indecent Expressions;---that he here did so again, and begged Leave to retract them; but added, that he could by no Means retract the Sentiment-----and concluded with giving his Word of Honour to the House, and to the noble Lord, that nothing should follow upon this from him.

Lord C——n did the same.

SAVANNAH, (in Georgia) APRIL 29.

ON Monday last his Excellency the Governor, accompanied by several gentlemen, arrived here from a tour to the southern frontiers of this province, where he went to take a view of the country; and we are told is highly satisfied with the navigation of the rivers, as well as the goodness of the lands, in those parts.

Yesterday Capt. Maxted, in a brigantine, arrived here in eight weeks from London.

By a private letter from London we have advice, that fifteen Members of the House of Commons, and eight Lords, have become proprietors of Lands in East-Florida.

A report is current here, that war was declared against Spain eight days before Capt. Maxted sailed; but the London papers to the 25th of February make no mention of it.

The three following Paragraphs, are taken from the Prints brought by Captain Maxted, viz.

LONDON, February 20. *We hear that the whole Military Establishment of the British colonies in North-America, is to consist of thirteen thousand effective men, exclusive of their Militia.*

Feb. 23. *Some considerable changes are still expected soon to take place in the Ministry.*

Last week three ships laden with corn, from North-America, arrived at Exeter, which reduced the price eighteenpence per quarter.

CHARLES-TOWN, MAY 12.

WE have the Pleasure to acquaint the Public, that the successful Introduction of the SILK MANUFACTURE in this Province bears a promising Aspect, as we hear there are great Quantities of Silk Worms raised in almost every Family in Purrysburgh Parish, and some by the French at Hillsborough, and the English and Germans near Long-Canes; and that several Gentlemen and Ladies near Charles-Town will make the private Amusement of raising Silk Worms tend to the Public Benefit by shewing how easily the Knowledge thereof is to be required, and what small Labour is necessary in the Management of them.—— Mr. JOHN LEWIS GIBERT, a Native of France, (employed by the Gentlemen concerned on Behalf of the Public, in the Encouragement of this Manufacture, to wind and to teach the winding of Silk) has now a considerable Number of Silk Worms in the Old School-House near the New-Barracks, where Gentlemen who are desirous of seeing them either through Curiosity, or Inclination to promote so valuable a Branch of Trade, may at one Time see them in the various Stages of Life, some young, some full grown, and some spinning their Balls or Cocoons.

The LIBRARIAN of the CHARLES-TOWN LIBRARY SOCIETY, also raises a few in the Lobby of the Library-Room, where Gentlemen who are not willing to go so far as Mr. GIBERT's, may satisfy their Curiosity.

Workmen are now employed in building an Oven for curing the Cocoons, erecting four Machines and all other Necessaries for winding Silk, with all Expedition, in Rooms adjoining Mr. GIBERT's, in order that the Filature may be set to work as soon as the Cocoons are fit, which may be in three Weeks Time.

On Tuesday the 21st ult. was married at Savannah, in Georgia, Thomas Savage, Esq; of this Town, to Miss Polly Butler, Daughter of William Butler, Esq; deceased; an accomplished young Lady, with a considerable Fortune.

Extract of a Letter from Savannah, in Georgia, dated April 24, 1767.

"During the last Session of the General Assembly of this Province, the Commons House passed an Ordinance, appointing CHARLES GARTH, Esq; Agent to solicit the Business of this Province in Great-Britain; but contrary to all Expectation, the Upper-House, unmindful of that worthy Gentleman's earnest and successful Endeavours to serve this Province, (by freeing the Inhabitants from the unsupportable STAMPS of B—te and G—v——le) denied their Concurrence to the Ordinance; nevertheless the Commons House, actuated by a Principle of Gratitude, and a full Sense of Mr. GARTH's superior Abilities, VOTED him Provincial Agent, and provided for him as genteel a Salary as the Infant State of this Colony would admit: For the Payment of which the General Tax is Security, notwithstanding the Opposition of the Upper-House."

DIED.] On Saturday the 2d Instant, at his Plantation on the River May, Joseph Elliott, Esq.

By a Clause in our last Revival-Act, passed the 18th of April, 1767, "The Duty on every Barrel of Pork, Beef, Timber, Plank, Boards, Staves, Shingles, or other Lumber, Deer Skins, Pitch, Tar and Turpentine, and Indico, imported into this Province, declared to be repealed for two Years, provided the Importers of such Commodities do enter into Bond to the Treasurer, either to export the same or pay the Duties laid thereon by the General Duty-Act, within six Months after such Importation".

CUSTOM-HOUSE, ENTRIES INWARD. NONE.
ENTRIES OUTWARD. NONE.

May	CLEARED FOR DEPARTURE.	For
5th.	Ship Hope, John Davis,	Cape-Fear
6th.	Ship Bacchus, William Harrop,	Oporto
	Sloop Industry, Richard Grinnell,	Boston
7th.	Sloop Benjamin, Nathaniel Dickinson,	Barbados
8th.	Brig Torrington, John Welch,	London
9th.	Ship Ajax, James White,	Poole
11th.	Schooner Three-Brothers, William Fitch,	Boston
	Schooner Margaret, William Blythe,	Georgia

SOUTH-CAROLINA EXPORTS,
Since 1st of November, to the 8th May, 1767.

Rice, viz.		Soap,	10 boxes.
To Great-Britain,	38482 bls.	Tallow,	1054 lb.
Portugal,	16816 bls.	Ground Nuts,	256 bush.
Spain,	4994 bls.	Indico, viz.	
Italy,	599 bls.	To G. Britain,	425,484 lb.
North-America,	3473 bls.	North-America,	7924 lb.
British West-India Islands,	8400 bls.	Total of Indico,	433,308 lb.
Foreign ditto,	5453 bls.	Pease,	8275 bush.
Total of Rice,	78,217 bls.	Deer Skins,	90,498 lb.
Flour,	77 bls.	Spokes,	1050
Shingles,	1,242,500	Hogs Lard,	66 casks
Butter,	232 Firkins	Horses,	28
Tar, common,	1487 bls.	Oxen,	3
Spanish Potatoes,	112 bush.	Hogs,	90
Beef,	460 bls.	Poultry,	300
Pork,	3814 bls.	Indian Corn,	17,365 bush.
Spars,	87	Rough Rice,	60 bush.
Reeds,	16780	Timber, Plank, Boards, &c.	679,206 feet
Staves,	65,200	Hemp,	133686 lb.
Bees Wax,	5075 lb.	Turpentine,	2323 bls.
Skins of Foxes, Bears, &c.	1 hhd. 1 bund.	Pitch,	7386 bls.
Beaver and Racoon Skins,	63	Tanned Leather,	2727 sides.
Turnips,	27 bush.	Candles,	7 boxes.
		Snake-Root,	1 hhd.
		Raw Silk,	67 lb.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WE the Commissioners of St. Paul's parish, appointed by the Board to meet the Commissioners of St. Andrew's Parish, in order to levy a Tax on all the Males in each of the said Parishes, to defray the Charges for the late Repairs of Rantowle's Bridge, GIVE THIS PUBLICK NOTICE, to all the Inhabitants of the said Parishes, that they are assessed at *One Shilling* per Head, on all Males, from the Age of Sixteen to Sixty, to be paid to Messrs. CHRISTOPHER PETER, and JONATHAN BACON, or to the Subscribers, on or before the first Day of August next.

JOHN SINGLETON,
CHARLES ELLIOTT,
JAMES STANYARNE.

May 11, 1767.

THE COMMISSIONERS for building a BRICK CHURCH in ST. STEPHEN's Parish, having all the Materials now ready, are in immediate Want of WORKMEN. Any Person or Persons that will undertake the same, are desired to send in their Proposals to the Commissioners, on the last THURSDAY of this Instant, May, to the Club-House of the said Parish; at which Time and Place they have appointed a Meeting for that Purpose. The Dimensions of the Church is 50 Feet by 40.

TO BE SOLD,

THE Lot, Dwelling-House, Stores, and Wharf in GEORGE-TOWN, now occupied by Messrs. GODFREY & GADSDEN. As well situated for Business as any in said Town.——Also three more Lots adjoining thereto. The Purchaser may have one, two, or three Years Credit, paying Interest, and giving Security if required, to

CHRISTOPHER GADSDEN.

TO BE SOLD,
By EDWARD LIGHTWOOD,
In TRADD-STREET;

PROVIDENCE Lime-Juice at 20s. per Gallon, superfine Philadelphia Flour in whole and half Barrels at £. 5 10 0 per Hundred; best Barbados Sweet-Meats, as Ginger and mixt, Tamarines, Aloes, Barbados Tar, and Balsam Capivi, the whole very good and new.

THIS DAY,
WILL BE SOLD at Auction, without reserve, in Stores on Mr. GIBBES's Wharf, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon;

EIGHTY PIPES of MADERA WINE, of an exceeding good quality and flavour. The person who ship'd them, having been particularly careful in the purchase, and strongly recommended them as neat and genuine; being the entire cargo of the Brigantine FEARN, JAMES FELL, Master, just arrived from Madera.

SAMUEL PRIOLEAU, jun. & Co.

MAY 12, 1767.

A Tub of exceeding fine HYSON TEA, just arrived in the LONDON, Captain CLARK, to be disposed of at £. 6 10 0 the Pound, by WEBB & DOUGHTY.

TO BE SOLD,

FIFTY Thousand Feet of extraordinary fine LUMBER, consisting of Inch Boards and Planks, Timbers of various Sizes, to be delivered in three Weeks or a Month. Enquire of

May 11, 1767. THEODORE GAILLARD, jun.

JOHN LORD,

CARVER AND GILDER;

Has just imported in the LONDON, Captain CLARK; A Large assortment of LOOKING-GLASSES, which he will sell on very reasonable terms, either with or without frames, at his shop in Meeting-street; where gilding and all the branches of house and furniture carving, in the Chinese, French, and Gothic tastes, are performed; and flatters himself, from the many advantages he received from the best shops in London, to be capable of executing any ornaments in the above tastes, to the satisfaction of those gentlemen and ladies who please to employ him.

WHITING,

SADLER, FROM LONDON;

BEGS leave to inform his friends and customers, (to whom he returns thanks for their favours) that he has removed to the WHITE-HOUSE, two Doors South of the WHITE-MEETING, in Meeting-street, where he hopes for a continuance of their business: And as he served his apprenticeship in London, of which city he is a freeman, flatters himself that he can execute all the branches of that business in the compleatest manner, having imported the best London materials for that purpose.

N. B. Board and Lodging for a single Gentleman.

TO BE SOLD,

By publick Outcry, at the Vendue-House in Charles-Town, on Tuesday the 19th Day of May, Instant, precisely at Twelve at Noon, the following HOUSES and LOTS, situated on the East Side of Friend-street, in Charles-Town aforesaid, late the Property of Mr. NATHANIEL SCOTT, *VIZ.*

NO. 1.—A lot containing 29 feet in front, and 120 feet in depth; on which is a very good dwelling-house of nine rooms, late in the possession of Mr. Joseph Atkinson, deceased, and joining Mr. Thomas Hutchinson.

No. 2.—A lot containing 33 feet 6 inches in front, and 120 feet in depth, with an excellent well finished new dwelling-house of six rooms, three stories high, which has not yet been inhabited.

No. 3.—A lot containing 27 feet in front, and 120 feet in depth, with a dwelling-house of eight rooms; at present in the occupation of the said Mr. Nathaniel Scott.

No 4.—A lot containing 50 feet 6 inches in front, and 60 feet in depth, with a dwelling-house of eight rooms, in the occupation of Mr. James Creighton.

The said lots are all contiguous to, and join each other, and have kitchens and other conveniencies.

The conditions will be twelve months credit, paying interest, and giving security.

A plan of the whole, may be seen in the hands of

ROBERT WELLS, Vendue-Master.

TO BE SOLD,

At publick Outcry, at the usual Place in Charles-Town, on Tuesday the 2d Day of June next;

TWO Negroes, and a few Articles of Houshold Furniture, being Part of the Estate of RACHEL LAWRENCE, late of Charles-Town, sole Trader, deceased.——All persons to whom the said Rachel Lawrence was at the Time of her Decease indebted, are desired to deliver in by the above Day, Accounts of their several Demands, duly attested. And all indebted to the Estate of the said Deceased, are desired to call upon, and settle with

WILLIAM MASON, Administrator.

TO BE SOLD,

ON Monday the Fourth of June, at the House of the late Mrs. MARY MILNER, all the Houshold Furniture belonging to the Estate of SOLOMON MILNER. *May* 11, 1767.

WALTER MANSELL,

INTENDING to depart this province by the 15th of May, instant, requests all persons who were indebted to him before the commencement of the partnership of MANSELL, CORBETT, & Co. by bond, note, or book debt, to make payment by that time, or they will then find the same in the hands of an attorney, to be sued for without further notice.——RICE will be taken in payment.

HE likewise, as executor of the estate of WILLIAM WALTER, Esq; deceased, desires all persons indebted to the said estate, to make immediate payment: And those to whom the said estate is indebted, are desired to bring in their accounts properly attested.

N. B. He wants a good OVERSEER for the management of a rice plantation; none need apply but they that well understand their business, and can bring a good recommendation from the last person they served.

THIS is to give Notice, That the Copartnership of BAER & KYSSELL, is ended by consent: All those indebted to them, either for wood, carting, &c. are desired to make payment to PHILIP BAER only; who still continues the said business, at Mr. Ebenezer Simmons's wharf.

PHILIP BAER,
May 11, 1767. CONRAD KYSSELL.

TO BE SOLD.

A Tract of 100 acres of land, in Purysburgh Township, bounding south-west on Patrick Griffins's land, north-west and north-east on land of Adien Meyer, and south-east on vacant land. For particulars, enquire of PHILIP BAER, at Mr. Simmons's wharf.

FOUND,

A Pair of GOLD SLEEVE-BUTTONS; the Owner paying for this Advertisement, and giving something to the Negro who found them, may have them again, by applying to the Printer.

SALES by the PROVOST-MARSHAL.

On Tuesday the 19th of May, Instant, will be sold at publick Vendue, at the usual Place in Charles-Town;

A Very valuable Negro fellow, who is as good a cooper as most in the province, and can do any carpenters work about a plantation; he is likewise an extraordinary good sawyer, can whet, set and lay out, and has had the management of Negroes as driver to them.——At the same time and place, together with the said fellow, and in one lot, will be sold, TWO YOUNG NEGROES, his Children, one a stout boy about 10 years of age, the other a girl about seven; late the property of JOHN EDMARSON, jun. and sold under execution, by

ROGER PINCKNEY, Pro. Mar.

On Tuesday the 26th Day of May 1767, will peremptorily be sold at publick Vendue, at the usual Place in Charles-Town, the following Plantations, or Tracts of Land, VIZ.

A Valuable plantation or tract of 3450 acres of land, in Granville county, granted to Charles Wright, in 1757.

Also a tract of 959 acres in the said county, granted to the said Charles Wright.

Also a tract of 691 acres, in the said county, granted to the said Charles Wright, in October, 1763.

Also a tract of 550 acres, bounding south-east on Savannah Back River, and on all other sides on land laid out to Jermyn and Charles Wright.

Also a tract of 820 acres, including Rochester ferry, on Savannah river.

Also a tract of 500 acres, in Granville county, granted to Jermyn Wright, in February, 1736.

Also a tract of 920 acres, known by the name of Shuter's Hill.

Also a tract of 1150 acres, called the Hickory-Hill plantation.

Also a tract of 1000 acres, on the Forks of Saltcatcher river, granted to Jermyn Wright, in May, 1739.

Also a tract of 600 acres, in Prince Frederick's parish, granted to Charles Wright, the 17th of February, 1738.

Also a tract of 800 acres, in Granville county, granted to Robert Wright, the 11th of July, 1733.

Also four town lots in Dorchester, known by the No. 3, 4, 9, and 10.

Also 80 acres of land in Berkley county, part of a barony known by the name of Ashley or St. Giles's barony, on Ashley river, and on lands late of Thomas Baker, Josiah Osgood, and Robert Wright.

Also 300 acres on Stevens's creek, near Augusta, late the property of Jermyn and Charles Wright, Esqr's. and sold under execution, by

ROGER PINCKNEY, Pro. Mar.

On Tuesday the 26th Day of May, 1767, will be sold at publick Vendue, at the usual Place in Charles-Town;

TWO Plantations or tracts of land, in Fredericksburg Township, Craven County, viz. One containing 250 acres, bounded southwesterly by the Wateree River, southeastward by land granted to John Madox, north-westward part on John Hope's land, and part on land granted to William Kelly, and north-west on land not then laid out, granted the 24th of March, 1756.——The other containing 350 acres, near to Swift's creek, in the fork of the gum swamp, on the north side of the Wateree river, bounded on all sides by vacant land, at the time of the original grant, the 6th of March, 1750.

Another plantation or tract of land, containing 250 acres, on Indian Creek, a branch of Black River, bounded on all sides by land vacant at the time of the original grant, the 4th of July, 1765, late the property of JOHN HOPE, and sold under execution, by

ROGER PINCKNEY, Pro. Mar.

On Tuesday the 26th Day of May, 1767, will be sold at publick Vendue, at the usual Place in Charles-Town;

A Plantation or tract of land, containing 790 acres, situate, lying and being in St. Paul's parish, Colleton county, in the province aforesaid, butting and bounding to the south-west on land of Robert Yonge, to the north-east on land of James Stobo, and on all other sides on land of the said Robert Yonge and James Stobo, late the property of ARCHIBALD STOBO, jun. and sold under executions, by

ROGER PINCKNEY, Pro. Mar.

For LONDON,

The SNOW PORTLAND,
GEORGE HIGGINS, Master;

WILL be ready to sail the 20th Instant. For Freight of Indico, or Deer Skins, apply to said Master, or WILLIAM BAMPFIELD.

FOUND on Easter Monday, in the Lane leading out of King-street to the Dutch Church, a GOLD MOURNING RING.

Any Person describing the same, paying for this Advertisement, and giving the Negro a small Gratuity for his Honesty, may have it, by applying to WILLIAM PRICE.

RUN-AWAY from the subscriber, the 13th of April, 1767, three Negro fellows named BILLY, YORK, and TONEY; Billy and York are black fellows, both boatmen, have been long used to go in a schooner, and are well known in Charles-Town.——Toney is a yellow fellow, by trade a bricklayer, and served his time to Joachim Phalthaser, at Childsberry. Any person that will take up the said fellows, and deliver them to me at Ponpon, or to the Warden of the Work-house in Charles-Town, shall receive a reward of *Five Pounds* currency for each. And any person harbouring or employing any of the said runaways, may depend on being prosecuted, by

Ponpon, May 5, 1767. WILLIAM COACHMAN.

LEONARD GRAVES,

CAUTIONS all persons from crediting any person on his account, without a written order from under his hand; as he will pay no debts so contracted from the date hereof. *May* 11, 1767.

TWO tame DEER, a Buck and a Doe, to be sold by FRANCIS NICHOLSON, in King-street.

THE Sale of the NEGROES advertised to be at Mr. NIGHTINGALE'S, on the 6th of this Month, is put off to THURSDAY the Twenty-first.—— If any Thing should prevent their being down in the Forenoon, the Sale will be at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon.

For LONDON,

The Ship *London*, JOHN CLARK, Master,

HAS as good Accommodations for Passengers as any Ship in the Trade. For Freight or Passage, treat with said Master, or JOHN GORDON.

To be SOLD for Cost and Charges,

A Neat Harmonicar, or Set of Musical Glasses. Enquire of the Printer.

WANTED,

WITHIN three Months, a Man who understands the making of WIND MILLS, for grinding Corn, Wheat, Rye, Oats, &c. Any Person capable of erecting one to Advantage, on a suitable Situation, will meet with proper Encouragement, by applying to BARNARD ELLIOTT, at his HUT, on Horse-Savannah.

May 7, 1767.

LOST, (supposed to be dropt) a pair of silver-plated SOCKETS to SILVER CANDLESTICKS, about two weeks past. Any person giving intelligence thereof to the printer, shall be rewarded; and if offered for sale, are desired to be stopt, and information thereof given as above desired.——Also to be sold, an EIGHT-DAY CLOCK, warranted to keep time as well as any in the province. Enquire as above. *May* 7, 1767.

IN Mr. Joseph Bee's possession at Ponpon, a small dark bay gelding, 13 hands and a half high, with both hind-feet white, has a small star and snip, and is branded on the near flank with OM, a stroke across the O, as near as can be discovered. Whoever owns the said stray, must apply in six months from the date hereof, to

May 5, 1767. JAMES DONNOM, J. P.

STOLEN or strayed the 26th of April, 1767, from the plantation of the late Mr. BRANFORD, deceased, near Ashley River, one dark roan gelding, about 15 hands high, hog main, a noted brand for the fistula on the shoulder, one of his hind feet white, a great many grey hairs about his flanks and rump, and branded on the mounting shoulder something like 11—

Likewise at the same time and place, a black gelding, about 13 hands high, branded on the mounting shoulder thus X, with a brand on each buttock, and one hind foot white. N. B. The roan is a natural pacer, but the black trots and paces a little. Whoever delivers the said horses to me at Mr. George Sheed's plantation, on James Island, or the said Mr. Sheed in Charles-Town, shall receive *Fifty Shillings* reward for each, from JOHN WERNER.

TAKEN up by my Negroes, about a Week ago, as she drifted near my Landing, on Cooper River, a Cypress CANOE, pretty much out of Repair, 23 Feet long and four Feet wide, and rows with five Oars. The Owner may have her, on applyihg to

May 11, 1767. EBENEZER SIMMONS.

RUN-AWAY from the subscriber, on Tuesday the 30th ult. an apprentice lad named EDWARD LEGHEIR, born in the province, is between 16 and 17 years of age, about four feet high; had on when he went away, a blue coat, leather breeches, and white shirt. TWO DOLLARS reward, and moderate charges, will be paid to any person who delivers him to me in Charles-Town.

May 11, 1767. MARTIN REMELEY.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

LOST on Tuesday Evening last, a Silver WATCH, Maker's Name ANDREW DICKIE, Number 2840; she goes on a Diamond, and had when lost, a Steel Chain with two Seals and two Keys. Whoever delivers her to the Printer hereof, shall have a GUINEA Reward. *May* 2, 1767.

THE subscriber having determined to go off the province for the recovery of his health, desires all persons indebted to him, to settle the same to his satisfaction before the first day of June next; and those who have any demands against him, to send them in for payment.——And as his return is uncertain, he proposes selling at BEAUFORT, by publick Outcry, on Friday the Fifteenth of May inst.

His PLANTATION,

Very well known for its pleasant situation on Coosaw River, and the extraordinary good quality of the Land.

Also all his SLAVES;

Among whom, a driver, carpenters, sawyers, and other tradesmen, with handy house-wenches, boys and girls.

And on the Day following will be sold,

Stock of every kind, tools, houshold furniture, &c. at the said plantation, on the spot.——Any person inclinable to purchase the plantation, stock, and furniture, or any part thereof, at private sale in the mean time, may apply to, and will be treated with on the spot, by

JOHN GOVAN.

N. B. Credit will be given till the first day of January next. *Indian Land, May* 12, 1767.

FOR HIRE,

A Young Negro Fellow, by Trade a Taylor. Enquire of the Printer.

THE Co-partnership of CROFT & DART, being near expired, they will therefore dispose of the remaining Stock of Goods they have on Hand, at *Nine* for *One*, Credit to the first of January, 1768; or *Eight* for *One*, Cash.——Their Customers may be supplied with what Goods they have on Hand at *Nine* for *One*.——Any Person inclinable to purchase the whole, may have them on very easy Terms. 6w

To be sold for the first Cost and Charges,

A Piece of excellent rich Crimson Sattin, for a Lady's Gown. Enquire of the Printer.

JOHN WEBB,
AND
WILLIAM DOUGHTY,

HAVING entered into Co-partnerſhip, beg leave to acquaint their friends, that they have juſt imported in the PORTLAND, Captain HIGGINS, from LONDON, and the FRIENDSHIP, Captain FITZHERBERT, from BRISTOL, a compleat aſſortment of EUROPEAN and EAST-INDIA GOODS, ſuitable to the preſent ſeaſon; in the choice of which, great care has been taken, bought of the beſt hands, and on the loweſt terms, which they intend to diſpoſe of at a moderate advance, at their STORE on the BAY, next to Meſſrs. *Villepontoux & Waring's*, near the Watch-Houſe. Amongſt many others are the following articles, viz. neweſt faſhion tobines, luteſtrings, India perſians, ribbons; Iriſh and ſheeting linens, from 7s. 6d. to 45s. a variety of faſhionable broad cloths, and a large aſſortment of china.

——N. B. They have a compleat aſſortment of SHIP CHANDLERY and IRONMONGERY, among which are a large aſſortment of CARPENTERS TOOLS, &c.

They have alſo RUM, SUGAR, SALT, &c. &c. &c.

THE Commiſſioners of the Streets in Charles-Town, hereby give Notice, That the Continuation of Old-Church-Street, through the Paſture of Thomas Lynch, Eſq; and Anſonborrough, to George-Street, has been laid out, and will be opened on the firſt of June, or immediately after. Therefore ſuch Perſons as are poſſeſſed of incloſed Grounds or Buildings, in the Way of the ſaid Continuation, have Liberty to remove ſuch Impediments before that Time, if they ſhall chuſe to do it, otherwiſe the Commiſſioners will give the neceſſary Orders for the ſame.

AND WHEREAS a ſubſtantial Brick Bridge, and Cauſway, to be caſed on each Side with Brick or Stone, and filled up with Earth, of the Width of Twenty-two Feet in the Clear, with a ſufficient and ſecure Foot-path, well poſted in on one Side thereof, and having a proper Brick Arch under the ſame, is immediately wanted to be built, at the North End of the Bay, to lead over a Creek near Craven's Baſtion, to the North Parts of the Town, heretofore called Anſonborrough. All Perſons therefore willing to undertake the above-mentioned Bridge, and to find all Materials, are deſired to give in their Propoſals, ſealed up, to the Clerk of the Board of Commiſſioners, on or before the firſt Monday in June, 1767.

By Order of the Commiſſioners,
ELISHA POINSETT, Clerk.

SHEED & WHITE,

HAVE juſt imported in the Brigantine Philadelphia Packet, *Captain* John Harriſon, *from* Philadelphia;

SUPERFINE FLOUR in whole and half Barrels, alſo in Kegs; a few Caſks of HAYNES's beſt double BEER in whole and half Barrels; Ship Bread; Bar Iron; Plows compleat; Soap in Boxes; choice INDIAN CORN in Caſks from 12 to 20 Buſhels; an Aſſortment of neat Windſor Chairs; which, with Northward RUM in Hogſheads, Oats in ditto, they will ſell reaſonably at their Store on the Bay, lately occupied by Mr. Jos. Fisher.

N. B. Said BRIGANTINE will ſail for PHILADELPHIA the 12th Inſtant: For Freight or Paſſage, having good Accommodations, treat with ſaid Maſter, or

May 4, 1767. SHEED & WHITE.

Juſt imported in the Ship Anne, George Forten, *Maſter, from* Philadelphia;

FINE FLOUR in Barrels and half Barrels, Bar Iron, and INDIAN CORN in Barrels and looſe, to be ſold cheap for ready Money, at a Store on Mr. Berresford's Wharf.

The ſaid Ship having the Bulk of her intended Cargo ready, will ſail for BRISTOL ſome Time in this preſent Month of May. For Freight of Deer Skins, Indico, or other light Goods, or for Paſſage, apply to ſaid Maſter on board the Ship at Mr. Ebenezer Simmons's Wharf, or to

HENRY LAURENS.

HARLESTON & BONNEAU,

HAVE juſt imported in Captain Higgins, *from* LONDON,

A Variety of ſuperfine faſhionable BROAD CLOTHS and TRIMMINGS, beſt white wine vinegar in jugs, *Oronoko* tobacco, French and Spaniſh olives, capers, walnuts, anchovies, Dorcheſter ale, bottled porter, choice red port wine, almonds, blue raiſins, ſplit peaſe, thread ſattins, luteſtrings, a great aſſortment of India and Engliſh chints, callicoes and perſians, Bengal ſtripes, pavillion and Cyprus gauze, India nankeens, black princes ſtuff, jeans, ſagathees, claret-colour velvet, men's beſt beaver hats, boys fur'd ditto, black feathers, wax and pearl necklaces and ear-rings, glaſs ſhades, neat hair portmantua trunks, violins, grid-irons with fluted bars and ſpouts, carving knives and forks, beſt rifle powder, bar lead, &c. &c.

N. B. They keep conſtantly a ſupply of choice Weſt-India and Northward Rum, Madera Wine, and brown Sugar. *May 2, 1767.*

ANNE MATHEWES,

HAS juſt imported in the Snow Portland, *Captain* Higgins,

BLUE and green Thread Pavillion Gauze, an Aſſortment of Women and Childrens Stays, black Feathers for Ladies Hats and Heads, ditto for Boys,——figured Ribbands, black Mecklenburg Fans, black Gauze Handkerchiefs, ſtriped Gauze, a large Aſſortment of Head and Blond Lace and Edging, Necklaces and Ear-rings of all Sorts, which, with a good Aſſortment on Hand, will be ſold reaſonable, at her Shop in Church-ſtreet.

ROBERT RAPER, Adminiſtrator to the Eſtate of JAMES HUNTER, late ſurviving Partner of THOMSON & HUNTER, of Charles-Town, Merchants, being determined to make a ſpeedy Settlement of all Affairs relative thereto, GIVES NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS who are indebted to the ſaid Eſtate, that the ſeveral and reſpective Debts, which ſhall remain unpaid or ſettled to his Satisfaction by the 20th of June next, will then be placed in the Hands of an Attorney at Law to be recovered without Reſerve.

WILLIAM HALES has for Sale,—genuine RHENISH WINE by the Dozen, and a few Pair of Truck and Hand Cart Wheels, imported from LONDON.

THOMAS WALTER,

Has imported per Captain Higgins, *and the laſt Veſſels*

A Great variety of blond, Bruſſels, and other laces; India chints, printed linens, faſhionable broad cloths, Turkey burdets, ginghams, Bengal ſtripes, India perſians, good broad hoes, and other uſual articles; which he will ſell on the moſt reaſonable terms, at his ſtore oppoſite the Poſt-Office.

A parcel of cotton ſtockings, and courſe Yorkſhire cloths, to be ſold at *ſeven and a half per cnt.*

Any perſon willing to buy a quantity of good dry LOGWOOD or MAHOGANY, may apply as above.

A Frenchman from the Iſland of St. Domingo, acquaints the Gentlemen Planters of INDICO, That he will make and engage to make Indico (though the Vat are over ſhip and rotten) and without the Uſe of any Lime, to a great deal more Advantage than ever was found before, as it has always been his chief Study in the French Iſlands; and will endeavour to ſhow the ſame advantageous Method to any Perſon deſirous of learning it; he will alſo be anſwerable for every Vat he undertakes. He is to be found at Mr. David Boillat's, Baker, in Church-ſtreet.

THOMAS FELL, Taylor, in Elliott-ſtreet,

Hath juſt imported in the Friendſhip, Capt. Fitzherbert;

A Compleat aſſortment of ſummer cloths and trimmings, of an entire new fabrick, and the firſt of the kind ever imported into America; they are equal in fineneſs with the beſt ſuperfine cloth, but much thiner, and certainly fitter than any for a hot country; and as I have my GOODS from as good Manufactures as any in England, can afford them as cheap as any one.——He returns his thanks for the encouragement he has met with, and hopes that he ſhall always merit the ſame.

JOHN FISHER, Cabinet-Maker,

FROM LONDON;

TAKES this Method to acquaint the PUBLICK, That he has taken Part of the Houſe in Tradd-ſtreet, where Mr. WISE formerly lived, and intends carrying on the CABINET BUSINESS in all its Branches. Thoſe Gentlemen and Ladies who pleaſe to favour him with their Commands, may depend on having their Orders well executed, and on the ſhorteſt Notice.

N. B. Venitian Window Blinds made as in London.

TO BE LET, and may be entered upon about the middle of next Month,

THE Eaſternmoſt Tenement of a new three Story Brick Houſe, ſituated at the Corner of Tradd and Meeting-ſtreet. For further Particulars, enquire of WILLIAM ELLIS.

To be ſold, on Wedneſday the 3d of June next, at the Houſe of Paul Grimball, *deceaſed, on Ediſto-Iſland, preciſely at Two o'Clock in the Afternoon;*

THAT moſt valuable Iſland known by the Name of GRIMBALL's ISLAND, ſituate upon the Eaſt Side of South Ediſto River, containing 842 Acres, old Meaſure. Said Iſland is inferior to none in the Province, either for Corn, Indico, or Rice.—The Conditions of Sale, One-half Caſh, and for the Remainder, Twelve Months Credit, paying Intereſt, and giving Security, if required.

JOSEPH FICKLING, ARCHIBALD CALDER, } Executors.

LATELY IMPORTED,

TWO handſome new CHAISES, with Harneſſes, &c. compleat, to be ſold, by DAVID STODDARD, & Co.

THOMAS EUSTACE, in King-ſtreet, at the ſign of the Horſe and Chair, and oppoſite Mr. Nicholſon's ſchool, having provided himſelf with a large yard and good ſtabling, propoſes taking in waggons and horſes at ſo much the night.——He has alſo purchaſed ſome good horſes and chairs, which he will hire out by the day, &c. Whoever may be pleaſed to favour him with their commands, may depend on the moſt civil treatment, from

Their moſt humble Servant,
THOMAS EUSTACE.

N. B. As provinder requires ready caſh, he hopes none will expect credit. *May 2, 1767.*

STOLEN on the 19th of April, 1767, from Colonel Mullryne's Landing in Georgia, by four Negro Men belonging to Mr. John Harvey, of Charles-Town, a Cypreſs CANOE, about 15 Feet long, and three wide, rows with three Oars, her Bottom and Sides painted yellow, her Gunwales black; ſhe has Rudder Irons on, a Staple and long Chain at her Stem, and two round black Spots at her Head. Whoever will deliver her to Mr. Tunis Tebout, in Charles-Town, or to the Subſcriber in Georgia, ſhall have Three DOLLARS Reward.

JOSIAH TATTNELL.

STRAYED into my Plantation on Aſhley River, in January laſt, a grey Mare, about 12 Hands and an half high, branded on the mounting Shoulder like S4

P in one, and Buttock P. The Owner may have her on applying to PETER STONE.

Imported in the Little Carpenter, and to be ſold at *Eight* for *One*,

A Quantity of broad Hoes, ribb'd Sickles, and a few Caſks of Nails, each Caſk containing 12m. 4d.—1m. 6d.—1m. 8d.—3m. 10d.—and 3m. 20d.——by the Caſk, by JOHN DAVIES.

TO BE SOLD,

THE BLUFF, a Plantation pleaſantly ſituted on Santee River, containing 1000 acres, five or ſix hundred of which is very fine tide ſwamp, which is ſcarcely ever affected by the freſhes, and never at all by brackiſh water; the reſt of the tract is well timbered pine land, a large creek that runs through the back part of this, will enable the purchaſer to divide it into two very compleat plantations, each of which will have a landing at the barn door; there is a very good barn, overſeer's houſe, &c. on the premiſes. Any perſon inclining to purchaſe, may apply to Jacob Motte, Eſq; or

April 24, 1767. THOMAS LYNCH.

SOUTH-CAROLINA.

THOMAS STINSON, of the Province aforeſaid, who is in the Cuſtody of the Provoſt-Marſhal, upon *Meſne Proceſs*, at the Suit of *Samuel Wells* and *John Singletary*, having petitioned their Honours the Chief Juſtice, and his Aſſociates, Juſtices of the Court of Common Pleas, that he may be admitted to the Benefit of the Act made for the Relief of Inſolvent Debtors. IT IS ORDERED, That the ſaid *Samuel Wells* and *John Singletary*, and all others, to whom the ſaid Petitioner is any wiſe indebted, be, and they are hereby ſummoned and have Notice, to appear at the uſual Place of Judicature, at the firſt Sitting of the Court of Common Pleas, or General Seſſions, which ſhall happen three Months after the Publication hereof, to ſhew Cauſe, if any they can, why the ſaid Petitioner ſhould not have the Prayer of his Petition granted.

Robert Daniel, to whom Part of the Petitioner's Debts and Effects are mortgaged, is ſummoned to be and appear at the Time and Place above-mentioned, to render an Account upon Oath of what is really and bona fide due upon the ſaid Mortgage, upon Pain of having the ſame deemed fraudulent.

D. CAMPBELL, C. C. P.

Pleas-Office, February 28, 1767.

SOUTH-CAROLINA.

SIMON RIDLEHOVER, otherwiſe called SIMON RIDLEHOVER, of the Fork of Broad and Saludy Rivers, in Berkley County, in the Province aforeſaid, who is in Cuſtody of the Provoſt-Marſhal, upon *Meſne Proceſs*, at the Suit of *Iſaac Da Coſta*, and *Thomas Farr*, jun. of Charles-Town, Merchants, having petitioned their Honours the Chief Juſtice, and his Aſſociates, Juſtices of the Court of Common Pleas, that he may be admitted to the Benefit of the Act made for the Relief of Inſolvent Debtors. IT IS ORDERED, That the ſaid *Iſaac Da Coſta*, and *Thomas Farr*, jun. and all others, to whom the ſaid Petitioner is any wiſe indebted, be, and are hereby ſummoned and have Notice, to appear at the uſual place of Judicature, at the firſt Sitting of the Court of Common Pleas, or General Seſſions, which ſhall happen three Months after the Publication hereof, to ſhew Cauſe, if any they can, why the ſaid Petitioner ſhould not have the Prayer of his Petition granted.

D. CAMPBELL, C. C. P.

Pleas-Office, April 7, 1767.

TO BE SOLD,

TWO lots of land in Queen-ſtreet, adjoining HENRY FULKER's, 32 feet in front, and 105, or thereabouts, in depth, lately Shute's watering place. The ſame will be ſold for credit. Any perſon inclinable to purchaſe the ſame, may enquire of Mr. JOHN EDWARDS, merchant, in Charles-Town.

ALSO,

A tract of 500 acres, on the north ſide of Santee river, adjoining lands of THOMAS BOSHER. This tract is exceeding good land for rice, corn, and indico. Enquire as above.

CHARLES CAPERS.

BROUGHT TO THE WORK-HOUSE,

October 7, 1766. A well ſet new negro fellow, who ſpeaks no Engliſh, has on an old white negro Cloth jacket, with pewter buttons, has a ſmall beard.——Taken up at Cooſawhatchee.

——The above Negro fellow, ſince his being advertiſed, ſays his name is FRANK.

December 13. A pretty tall well made Negro fellow who calls himſelf MARCH, but will not or cannot tell his maſter's name; has on old white Negro cloth cloaths and blanket, a large bump on his right ſhoulder; and was taken up at Col. *Heyward's* plantation, Cuckhold's creek, Combahee.

December 20. A tall elderly Negro fellow named WILL, who cannot tell his country but ſays his maſter's name is *Billy Elliott*; has on an old blue cloth coat, oznabrigs ſhirt, old white Negro cloth breeches and boots; he is pitted a little with the ſmall pox, on his right arm the marks of three ſmall ſhot, and his country marks acroſs his back; ſays he came away when he was done cutting rice; he was taken up at *Rawlins Lowndes's* plantation, Horſe-ſhoe.

April 14, 1767. A new Negro fellow, who ſays his name is PLENTY, but cannot tell his maſter or owner's name, nor that of his country; he is about 5 feet 7 inches high, has a pretty long beard, and carries the marks of an old offender all over his back; has on a white Negro cloth jacket and breeches, with yellow metal buttons, and was taken up at the *Fording-Iſlands*, on the river *May*, by *Joſeph Elliott's* Negroes.

April 20. A Negro fellow that calls himſelf JEFFERY, but cannot tell his maſter's name; he is about 5 feet 8 inches high, has a ſmall beard, and his country marks on his face; has on an old white Negro cloth jacket and breeches, is of the Mandingo country, and was taken up at Mr. Sampſon Neyle's plantation, Santee.

George-Town, April 11, 1767.

THE ſubſcriber having left off the dry goods buſineſs, will ſell the remainder of his ſtock at a reaſonable rate: And as there is an abſolute neceſſity of cloſing all his concerns in that way, he hopes all his debtors will be good enough to make immediate payment of their ſeveral debts, and not put him under the diſagreeable neceſſity of uſing harſh means for the recovery of them, eſpecially thoſe of a long ſtanding; and as this is the only notice he can poſſibly give them, he hopes due regard will be paid to it.

JOSEPH DUBOURDIEU.

A Few Boxes of excellent good Philadelphia CHOCOLATE, to be ſold cheap by CHARLES CROUCH, in Elliott-ſtreet.

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The *South-Carolina Gazette*, and *Country Journal*, EXTRAORDINARY.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 13, 1767. [No. 75.]

Yesterday Morning (just at the Time of the Publication of our Gazette) arrived here the Sloop Charles-Town, Joseph Durfee, *Master, in* 11 *Days from* Rhode-Island, *and from the Publick Prints brought by him, we have* London *Intelligence to the* Fifth *of March*;—*and as we are always ready and willing to furnish our good Customers, as well as the Publick, with the latest Occurrences that comes to Hand, we are induced thus early to publish an* Extraordinary Gazette, *for their Entertainment.*

LONDON, February 10.

ON Friday died (as was supposed) Mrs. Margaret Carpenter, and same Day she was properly laid out, in order to be interred to-morrow; when on Friday night, to the astonishment and terror of the whole family, she came down stairs start-naked, having only been in a trance; as soon as the surprize was over, they put her into a warm bed, and gave her comfortable things for her refreshment; she said she was bitter cold; but her situation so shocked her, that is is almost impossible for her to recover.

A gold medal was presented by the society to Mr. Dossie, for his eminent services in communicating the processes of making pot-ash and barilla in America.

Letters from Geneva say, that upwards of an hundred of the principal families there are preparing to retire to the island of Corsica.

Extract of a Letter from Rome, January 5.

"It is talked here, that the King of Spain is taken up in carrying on a vigorous process, not only against the Jesuits, but also against the Jesuitical court of Rome, that he has assembled a number of Divines, and other proper persons, to consider whether he might not lawfully prohibit all applications to Rome for dispensations, &c. and appropriate the whole management and decision of such matters to his own bishops: That this question being determined in the affirmative, he hath caused a book to be written and printed in the Spanish language, for a standing proof and defence of his conduct on this occasion; and being resolved to satisfy others, as well as his own people, of the solidity of those reasons which have prevailed upon him to do this, he has ordered that book to be translated into Italian, whereby it will become more public to the world, and be read by those whom it may more particularly concern, and by the generality, at least, of the more Southern parts of Europe."

FEBRUARY 27. We hear that this morning the right hon. the Earl of Strathmore will be married to Mrs. Bowes, of Durham, the greatest heiress in Europe; her present fortune is one million and 40,000 l. besides a large jointure on the death of her mother, and a large estate on the demise of her uncle.

Paramaribo, the capital of Surinam, is one of the finest towns in all America, and it is a place of no defence: Fort Zealandia, which is near it, was built by the English when in possession of that country. The Dutch are so much afraid of the English taking Surinam from them, that they will not suffer any gold or silver mines to be opened.

According to private advices from Leghorn, it is said that a fruitless attempt had lately been made on the life of Paoli, General of the Corsicans.

Friday some dispatches, said to be of a very agreeable nature, were received at the Secretary's office faom Boston in New-England.

Died. Allen Evans, Esq; aged 82, the Defendant in the late great cause between the city and Dissenters.

Monday the transport ships fell down the river to Woolwich, to embark a detachment of the train of artillery for New-York.

We are well assured that some considerable changes will soon take place in the ministry.

'Tis said that a spirited memorial has been sent over to Holland in relation to the barbarous treatment which a British subject lately received on board a Dutch man of war.

Every one of the American provinces have complied without demur, with the orders of government, for quartering troops, and all other requisitions, except Boston and New-York; who, however, it is thought will know their interest too well to oppose so trifling a circumstance, as finding the troops with salt and small beer.

The forces so much talked of to go to America, are only to relieve the several regiments that have been there for some years.

Extract of a Letter from Chester, dated February 25.

"Yesterday morning, about three o'clock, I was greatly alarmed by the cry of fire, and the tolling of the fire bell: when I arose out of my bed, which was not far from where the fire happened, the most shocking sight presented itself to me; the work-house, in which all the poor of 11 parishes lived, to the amount of 200 boys and girls, besides men and women, was entirely burnt to the ground, together with upwards of 60 children, and about twelve men and five women, in all seventy-seven; the rest were saved. It was about two o'clock in the morning when the fire first broke out, but it was supposed to have been burning all night; as about 20 children lie in one room, and its supposed they by some accident set fire to some cotton which the children spin, and which was owing to the negligence of one woman, by letting them go to bed by themselves. It is impossible to express the horror and distress the poor people were in, some of them running out naked, others jumping out of the windows and from the top of the building: In short, it was the most shocking sight that ever was seen. There are now upwards of 30 men employed in digging out the bones and dead bodies, but there are none found as yet, and it is supposed they are all burnt to ashes.

It is said there are at present upwards of 30 rendezvous, or lock-up-houses in the city, occupied by crimps employed to enlist soldiers for the East-India company.

LONDON, March 2, *Major-General Monckton is appointed Governor of Jamaica.*

Letters from Poland, of the 6th of February, say, that a report prevails there, that 40,000 *Russian troops more are to arrive, as soon as the season will permit, in that kingdom, and that the Poles are determined to oppose them.*

The house of commons sat very late on Friday night, and was engaged upon business of such consequence, that the house was ordered to be cleared of all persons who were not members.

It was on Saturday morning reported that advice had been received of the colony of New-York having submitted, in all things, to his Majesty's injunction, as lately transmitted to Sir Henry Moore, Governor of the province; and that a very loyal address was preparing to be transmitted home when these letters came away.

We are informed that the Dutch are under the greatest uneasiness imaginable for the fate of Surinam, and are preparing to send troops, &c. in order, if possible, to save that important colony, the loss of which would prove the ruin of their state.

MARCH 3. *Among other changes in the administration talked of, are,*

The Duke of Grafton and Lord Gower to be Secretaries of State.

The Right Hon. Charles Townsend to be first Lord of the Treasury.

The Marquis of Rockingham to be Lord Chamberlain.

Lord Mansfield to be Lord President of the Council.

The Hon. Mr. York to be Chancellor.

It has been remarked, that the several administrations for forty years past always carried their point in respect to the land-tax.

As much has been lately said concerning the province of Surinam, belonging to the Dutch, in America, we have inserted the following brief account of its situation, &c. It lies in six degrees North of the line, and is certainly a very rich and fertile country; it is bounded to the North by the river Oronooke, and to the South by the river Amazone; the Dutch yearly load about eighty large ships with its produce, being sugar, coffee, cotton, drugs, wood, &c. The Dutch esteem Surinam of the greatest consequence. It is almost as large as the kingdom of France.

Sunday morning the supercargo of the Lord Clive East-Indiaman, Capt. Barclay, outward bound, for China, came to the India-house with an account of the above ship being lost off Boulogne. Two of the crew were drowned.

MARCH 4. *The last letters from New-York bring advice, that more new manufactories are going on there; among which is one for brass wire, and another for enamelling all kinds of trinkets, after the Birmingham and Sheffield manner.*

We are assured that the Right Hon. the Earl of Chatham arrived at his house, so much recovered in his health, as gave the greatest pleasure to all his friends.

Yesterday several of the heads of the present administration had a long conference with the Right Hon. the Earl of Chatham, at his house in Bond-street.

The cargo of the Lord Clive Indiaman, outward bound, said to be on shore off Boulogne, is computed at 120,000*l.*

Changes in the administration are more than ever talked of, and several lists are handed about of the names of the Outs *who are to be* Ins, *and of the* Ins *who are to be* Outs; *but we are credibly informed that the alterations to be made are not yet settled.*

We hear, the last letters from Copenhagen, bring an account of the pregnancy of her Majesty the Queen of Denmark.

We are informed from good authority, that there are not the least grounds for the report of our court having at present any disputes with the States-General, relative to Surinam.

It is reported that the Dutch merchants of Surinam, in conjunction with the French, are endeavouring all in their power to ruin the coast and main trade of the Musquitto Shore, and that even the foreign trade carried on from the Leeward Islands has suffered considerably on the same account.

Yesterday morning several of the nobility and great officers of state paid Lord Chatham a visit. His Lordship, contrary to all expectation, is almost recovered from the gout, than which no news can be more pleasing to every real lover of his country.

They write from Lisbon, that the Prime Minister of Portugal continues to stand out against all the remonstrances of the Hon. Mr. Hay, his Majesty's Envoy, for abolishing certain late erected Monopolies, extremely prejudicial to the British commerce in that kingdom.

Eleven sail of British ships laden with wheat and flour from North-America were arrived at Cagliari, in the island of Sadinia, for a market, when the last letters came away.

It is said that the Right Hon. the Lord Mount-Stewart, son to the Earl of Bute, will be a candidate to represent the county of Bedford in parliament at the next general election.

It is said a promotion of Admirals will shortly take place, several old ones having lately died.

It was yesterday morning reported, that a memorial of a very interesting nature is preparing to be dispatched to the English minister at the Hague.

Orders have been sent to Scotland, to delay the embarkation of some regiments of foot on that establishment, which were intended for North-America.

Governor Pownall is elected member of parliament for Tregony, in Cornwall, and has taken his seat accordingly.

MARCH 5. *The report continues, that a great change is in agitation.*

A man of war is ordered to be fitted out at Portsmouth, to carry over his Excellency General Monckton to his government of Jamaica.

Orders are sent to Woolwich for two companies of the royal regiment of artillery to hold themselves in readiness to embark for North America.

LONDON, MARCH 5.

The address of Thanks of the High Sheriff, Grand-Jury, Gentlemen and Clergy of the County of Bucks to the Representatives in Parliament.

WE the High-Sheriff, Grand-Jury, Gentlemen and Clergy of the County of Bucks, assembled at the Assizes held at Aylesbury, the third day of March, 1767, take this earliest opportunity of returning our sincere and cordial thanks to such of our representatives in parliament serving this county, and the several boroughs within the same, as have contributed by their virtue and spirit to relieve us from part of the heavy burden of four shillings in the pound upon land; a burthen in its full extent become, in these times of distress and scarcity, insupportable.

WE are also encouraged to express our earnest hopes and confidence, that by the continuance of their assistance, and by the wisdom and justice of a truly British parliament, the strictest œconomy may be enforced; and that his Majesty's loyal and obedient subjects, the landholders of this kingdom, will not be charged with an increase of taxes, unknown in time of peace, in order to defray expences, which have hitherto been constantly borne by his Majesty's colonies in America; and of which those colonies have, by insurrections and violence, refused to contribute any part for their own protection and defence, though required thereto by an act of the British legislature."

[*The Hon. Sir William Stanhope, voted for the Repeal; George Grenville, his Brother James, and Richard Lowndes, voted against it.*——*Those Men's Interest is in this County* only, *and Represent them in Parliament.*]

On Friday a motion was made to reduce the land tax to three shillings in the pound, and carried by a majority in favour thereof.

BOSTON, APRIL 13.

The following is a copy of a letter of thanks addressed to the Right hon. WILLIAM PITT, *Esq; (now Earl of* Chatham) *by the Speaker of the late house of representatives, in pursuance of their order of the* 20*th of* June *last.*

SIR,

YOUR noble and generous effort in support of the common rights of mankind, and the Liberties of Great-Britain and her Colonies, more particularly in the late session of parliament, have very justly ensured you the warmest affection and esteem of every honest and sensible British subject.

The house of representatives of this his Majesty's province, sensible of your distinguished merit, and the signal favours you have done to the colonies, by employing your great abilities and interest in their behalf, immediately after voting an humble address of thanks to his Majesty, have ordered, that their grateful acknowledgments should be made to their generous patron.

SIR, At the desire of the house of representatives, I have the honour of transmitting to you their thanks; and in their name beg your acceptance of the inclosed vote. I am, with the greatest respect, your most obliged, and most obedient humble servant.

Boston, N. E. June 21, 1766.

To the right hon. WILLIAM PITT, Esq.

Similar letters were written and sent, by order of the house, to others of the British nobility and gentry, who had distinguished *themselves in the cause of* LIBERTY;—*who had generously appeared to support the RIGHTS of the American subjects, at a most* critical *juncture, and procured for them a happy repeal of the stamp-act.*

The following is a copy of a letter by the January Packet from the right hon. the Earl of CHATHAM, *to the late house of representatives, in answer to their address of thanks to his Lordship for his noble and generous Patronage of the British American Colonies.*

SIR,

THE honour of your letter communicating to me a public testimoney of so high a nature found me in a severe fit of the gout, which long disabled me from using my hand. Give me leave now, Sir, to offer my humblest acknowledgments, and to assure you that, though late, they are not less wormly dictated by a true sense of the respectful gratitude towards the house of representatives of the Massachusetts-Bay. They will allow me to add, that I shall always esteem myself particularly fortunate, whenever the just discharge of my duty here meets with approbation in America.

I am with great truth and distinguished regard, Sir, your most obedient and most humble servant,

Bath, Dec. 24th 1766. CHATHAM.

To *Thomas Cushing*, Esq; Speaker to the hon. house of representatives of his Majesty's province of Massachusetts-Bay.

Extract of a letter from DENNYS DE BERDT, *Esq; Agent to the hon. house of representatives, to* JAMES OTIS, *Esq; chairman of the committee of this town appointed to write to him upon the affair of Capt.* Malcolm, *dated* London, *January* 10, 1767.

"I Received your letter accompanying the several *affidavits* respecting the affair of Capt. *Malcom*, but the friends of the officer were *beforehand* of you in *forwarding* their *affidavits*. The affair was even mentioned in parliament before I received your's, but the house *dismissed* it as below their notice. And indeed were they to attend to every representation of a *custom-house officer*, they could attend to nothing else. However, the affair made some noise, of which your enemies attempted to avail themselves.

I am clear with you that there are *some among yourselves who delight to give false representations of the province.* But I flatter myself your regular, dutiful and loyal conduct, will be a standing memorial in your favour, and make the reproach of all your enemies return on their own heads.

I thought, the best method to serve you was, to take an extract from your letter, and add some reasoning of my own,

taken from the affidavits, and make a ſhort caſe, which I carried to Lord SHELBURNE with the affidavits themſelves for vouchers. With this my lord was ſo well pleaſed, that he undertook to hand it about to the miniſtry for their ſatisfaction. I told him all you deſired were to ſtand in your true light of loyal ſubjects, deteſting all tumultuous oppoſition to *lawful authority*. His Lordſhip appeared quite ſatisfied with your repreſentation, and expreſſed his ſentiments of the *impropriety* of ſuch *appeals* to the miniſtry.

"The expence of this affair has been but ſmall. My being of ſervice to your Town and the cauſe of Liberty, will always afford me pleaſure."

Extract of another Letter from London.

"I Am obliged to you for the friendly confidence you have placed in me; which I ſhall always make uſe of to the advantage of your province, to the utmoſt of my power---Some body writes unfavourable of your province.—It is of conſequence to eraſe thoſe unfavourable ſentiments."

BOSTON, APRIL 20.

Extract of a Letter from London, March 3, 1767.

"The late diſputes in New-York have again rouſed the revengeful ſpirit of your enemies, and have loſt the colonies ſome, till now, very ſtaunch friends, and who were moſt attached to their intereſts, Mr. C——s T——d, &c.

"Lord Chatham was brought to town a few days ſince exceſſively ill.—No public buſineſs has been done this winter for want of him: What a ſituation is this! The oppoſition to him is amazing powerful."—

About a month ſince was born at General Winſlow's farm at Marſhfield, a Daughter of John Fullerton, whoſe age is 73 years, his wife's 47, the child being his ſeventeenth; he has two daughters that are grandmothers, the one has had two grand children and the other three; the laſt mentioned was preſent at the Birth of her ſiſter. Mr. Fullerton has had 40 grand and great grand children, 40 of whom are now living.

NEW-YORK, APRIL 20.

Friday the Earl of Halifax Packet, Captain Boulderſon, arrived here from Falmouth, in ſix weeks: He has brought no later news than what was inſerted in our laſt; but by private letters, we learn, that the regiments deſtined for America from England and Ireland, are the 10th, Sandford's; 16th, Brudenell's; the 18th, or Royal Iriſh, Seybright's; and the 26th, (or Cameronians) Scot's; and that they are to relieve the 17th, 27th, 42d, and 46th, now on American duty; that it was currently reported in London, a plan for ſettling the American affairs was laid, and tho' it might at firſt be diſagreeable to the inhabitants of the weſtern world, it certainly would be carried into execution; and that it was generally believed, no permiſſion would be obtained this ſeſſion of parliament, for emitting bills of credit this year in this province. We likewiſe learn, there will be ſome new regulations in the poſt-offices in America.

Extract from the Votes of the Houſe of Commons of Great-Britain, for February 1767.

THE Lord Clare (from the Commiſſioners for Trade and Plantations) acquainted the Houſe that his Majeſty had commanded them to inform the Houſe that they had received incloſed in a Letter from Sir Henry Moore, Baronet, (his Majeſty's Governor of New-York) a Petition of the Merchants in the City of New-York, in the Colony of New-York, in America, addreſſed to the Houſe of Commons, which, the Governor ſays, he tranſmitted to the Commiſſioners for Trade and Plantations, at the Requeſt of a Committee of Merchants of New-York.

And the Lord Clare opened to the Houſe the Contents of the ſaid Petition.

Ordered, That the ſaid Petition be brought up.

Then the ſaid Petition was brought up, and read.——

[*This Petition we have not yet received.*]

Ordered, That the ſaid Petition do lie on the Table.

SOUTH-CAROLINA.

ROBERT OSWALD, who is in Cuſtody of the Proveſt-Marſhal, by Virtue of two Writs of *Capias ad Reſpondendum*, at the Suit of *Liſton* and *Hope*, ſurviving Partners of *Middleton*, *Liſton*, and *Hope*, having petitioned the Honourable the Juſtices of his Majeſty's Court of Common Pleas, that he may be admitted to the Benefit of the Act made for the Relief of Inſolvent Debtors. IT IS ORDERED, That the ſaid *Liſton* and *Hope*, and all others to whom the ſaid Petitioner is any wiſe indebted, be, and are hereby ſummoned and have Notice, to appear at the uſual Place of Judicature, at the firſt Sitting of the Court of Common Pleas, or General Seſſions, which ſhall happen three Months after the Publication hereof, to ſhew Cauſe, if any they can, why the ſaid Petitioner ſhould not have the Prayer of his Petition granted.

D. CAMPBELL, C. C. P.

Pleas-Office, May 13, 1767.

The Horſe CRAWFORD,

Full 15 hands and half high;

BRED by the Duke of Cumberland, and got by Lord Crawford's Arabian horſe; will cover this ſeaſon at Mr. THOMAS HARTLEY's plantation, at *Twenty Pounds* a mare, for the ſeaſon.——The aforeſaid HORSE will be ſold at publick Outcry, at Mr. Thomas Nightingale's, up the path, the 30th day of June, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, to the higheſt bidder. BENJAMIN BARRA.

April 24, 1767.

At the ſame Place will COVER,

THE ARABIAN HORSE ABDALAH, brought from *Arabia* to *Gibraltar*, and from thence by Captain BARNES, to *Beaufort*, *Port-Royal*, at *Fifteen Pounds* a Mare; and if they do not prove with Foal this Seaſon, to have a Chance the next Seaſon *Gratis*. ALEXANDER KENNEDEY, Groom.

MR. CHARLES STROTHER, informs me of two ſorrel horſes having ſtrayed into his paſture, one branded on the mounting ſhoulder M; the other branded in ſeveral parts, but not to be underſtood.——The owners may have them again, on proving their property before

April 25, 1767. JOHN TROUP, J.P.

A Few Boxes of excellent good Philadelphia CHOCOLATE, to be ſold cheap by CHARLES CROUCH, in Elliott-ſtreet.

At a Board of Juſtices, held at Mr. Robert Dillon's, in Charles-Town, Monday the 20th Day of April, 1767.

ORDERED,

THAT the Clerk do Cauſe to be inſerted in the Gazettes of this Province, the Names of the ſeveral Perſons to whom the Board have this Day granted Certificates to the publick TREASURER to iſſue Licences for retailing Spirituous Liquors in the Pariſhes of ST. PHILIP and ST. MICHAEL, CHARLES-TOWN, as alſo the following Clauſes of the Acts of the General Aſſembly, viz. The Vth and VIIth Sections of the Act for regulating Taverns and Punch-Houſes, and the XXXth Section of the Act for the better governing Negro and other Slaves.

Names and Place of Reſidence.	*Names and Place of Reſidence.*	*Names and Place of Reſidence.*
JAMES AMOS, upon the Bay	Eberhard Ehny, King-ſtreet	John Olrick, King-ſtreet
Philip Abraham, Unity-Alley	Hugh Fee,	Joſeph Powell, Union-ſtreet
Henry Boerder, Reid's Houſe	Elizabeth Fopell, Union-ſtreet	Sarah Pendergraſs, Meeting-ſtreet
Mary Beekman, Amen Corner	Henry Fulker, Queen-ſtreet	Eliſha Poinſett, Elliott-ſtreet
Patrick Bower, Elliott-ſtreet	Eleanor Freolick, Union-ſtreet	Ann Pritchard, Union-ſtreet
Elizabeth Barnſley, Society's Ground	Hannah Ferguſon, Trott's Point	Iſabella Ruthersford, Queen-ſtreet
Ann Beard, King-ſtreet	Eleanor Fellows, Union-ſtreet	Charles Reiley, Trott's Point
Joſhua Beard, Church-ſtreet	Elizabeth Grimes, Union-ſtreet	Jane Riddle, upon the Bay
Daniel Berkmyer, Elliott-ſtreet	George Gray, Elliott-ſtreet	Elizabeth Ruff, Elliott-ſtreet
Katharine Brunet, Union-ſtreet	Joſhua Hart, on the Bay	Eſther Rand, King-ſtreet
Cornelius Berkmyer, Union-ſtreet	Thomas Hodge, Anſonburgh	Eleanor Reazon, Elliott-ſtreet
Godliffe Baltz, Queen-ſtreet	Chriſtiana Huff, Union-ſtreet	Auguſtus Stillman, Tradd-ſtreet
Mary Blacklidge, Union-ſtreet	Suſannah Hamilton, Elliott-ſtreet	Barbara Syphret, Trott's Point
Ann Boudell, Union-ſtreet	Herman Huſt, King-ſtreet	Vincent Simmons, King-ſtreet
John Brian, King-ſtreet	Elizabeth Hutton, Queen-ſtreet	Rachel Spidel, Beresford's-Alley
Catherine Backhouſe, upon the Bay	Elizabeth Harvey, King-ſtreet	Margaret Stuart, Union-ſtreet
Ann Bithop, upon the Bay	William Holiday, Meeting-ſtreet	John Shuterling, King-ſtreet
Mary Brown, Union-ſtreet	Frederick Hoff, Tradd-ſtreet	Chriſtian Segwalt, King-ſtreet
Catherine Backhouſe, up the Path	William Hulme, Elliott-ſtreet	Paul Smizer, Broad-ſtreet
Elizabeth Carne, Union-ſtreet	Mary Ham, up the Path	Joſeph Turpin, Beef-Market
John Coatſman, Queen-ſtreet	Rebecca Johnſon, Amen Corner	Simon Tufts, upon the Bay
Mary Clinack, Meeting-ſtreet	Sarah Jones, Unity-Alley	Elizabeth Tucker, King-ſtreet
John Cantle, Elliott-ſtreet	Elizabeth Johnſon, Elliott-ſtreet	Hannah Tuke, upon the Bay
Rachael Clerk, Unity-Alley	Elizabeth Keller, King-ſtreet	Francis Vincent, upon the Bay
Daniel Chopard, Broad-ſtreet	Elizabeth Kalteiſſen, King-ſtreet	Mary Wall, upon the Bay
Margaret Cahon, King-ſtreet	Ann Lewis, Union-ſtreet	Katharine Wallace, Union-ſtreet
Mary Clement, Tradd-ſtreet	Widow Lehree, King-ſtreet	Ann Waud, Union-ſtreet
Samuel Nunez Cordozo, Unity-Alley	Felix Long, King-ſtreet	Eve White, Tradd-ſtreet
Elizabeth Church, Union-ſtreet	Mary Lockhon, Trott's Point	Jean Conrad Witzer, Union-ſtreet
Catherine Davis, Friend-ſtreet	Edward Lightwood, Tradd-ſtreet	Melchier Werley, King-ſtreet
Michael Dorman, Union-ſtreet	Catharine Lamar, Beef-Market	Sarah Winſer, Lamboll's Bridge
Robert Dillon, Broad-ſtreet	Michael Muckenfuſs, King-ſtreet	Jacob Wirth, King-ſtreet
Henry Davis, Tradd-ſtreet	David Murray, Beef-Market	Jeremiah Wells, Church-ſtreet
Nathaniel Dean, King-ſtreet	James McClenichan, Broad-ſtreet	Catherine Wayne, Tradd-ſtreet.
Thomas Euſtace, King-ſtreet	Elizabeth McDonald, Union-ſtreet	
Margaret Ernſt, Queen-ſtreet	Thomas Nightingale, up the Path	

SECTION V.

AND *be it further Enacted by the Authority aforeſaid*, That if any Perſon or Perſons, other than ſuch as ſhall be hereafter allowed and admitted by the ſaid Juſtices, or any five of them, aſſembled together, one to be of the Quorum, ſhall at any Time, from and after the paſſing this Act, obſtinately, and upon his own Authority, take upon him, her, or them, to keep a Punch-Houſe, Tipling-Houſe, or Billiard-Table; or ſhall without ſuch Licence as aforeſaid, uſe ſelling of Wine, Cyder, Beer, Brandy, Rum, Punch, or any ſtrong Drink, or other Spirituous Liquors whatſoever, under the Quantity of *Three Gallons*, ſhall forfeit the Sum of *Twenty Pounds*, Proclamation Money, upon Conviction thereof, at a Court of General Seſſions of the Peace, Oyer and Terminer, Aſſize, and General Goal Delivery; and ſhall be Bound over to the ſaid Court of General Seſſions, upon Information thereof given upon Oath to any Juſtice of the Peace.

SECTION VII.

And be it further Enacted by the Authority aforeſaid, That the Penalties and Forfeitures expreſſed in this Act, ſhall be appropriated and applied, the one Half to his Majeſty, his Heirs and Succeſſors, towards defraying the Expence of the Watch in Charles-Town, and the other Moiety to the Party that will ſue for the ſame, by Action of Debt, Bill, Plaint, or Information in his Majeſty's Court of Common Pleas, or any other Court of Record in this Province, wherein no Aſſoign, Protection, or Privilege, ſhall be allowed, or admitted, nor any more than one Imparlance.

SECTION XXX, OF THE NEGRO ACT.

If any Keeper of a Tavern or Punch-Houſe, or Retailer of ſtrong Liquors, ſhall give, ſell, utter, or deliver to any SLAVE, any Beer, Ale, Cyder, Wine, Rum, Brandy, or other ſpirituous Liquors, or ſtrong Liquors whatſoever, without the Licence or Conſent of the Owner, or ſuch other Perſon who ſhall have the Care or Government of ſuch Slave; every Perſon ſo offending, ſhall forfeit the Sum of *Five Pounds*, current Money, for the firſt Offence; and for the ſecond Offence, *Ten Pounds*; and ſhall be Bound in a Recognizance in the Sum of *One Hundred Pounds* current Money, with one or more ſufficient Securities, before any one of the Juſtices of the Court of General Seſſions, not to offend in the like Kind, and to be of good Behaviour for one Year; and for want of ſuch ſufficient Securities, to be committed to Priſon, without Bail or Mainprize, for any Term, not exceeding Three Months.

By Order of the Board,

OLIVER NOYES, Clerk.

A Dark brown and white cow, with a crop in the off ear, two ſlits and a piece taken out of the upper part of the other, with an obſcure brand on the off ſhoulder, and has a young calf.

A black cow, with a ſmall ſtar in her forehead, and a little white under her belly; the near ear crop'd, and a ſwallow fork in the other, no viſible brand, and has a yearling with her.

A large brown cow, with white flanks, and a ſlit and ſlit in the near ear, and the other cropt, with other brands on the off ſhoulder and buttock, and has a young calf.

A large black gelding, branded [illegible] mounting ſhoulder, and W on the buttock, and a natural pacer. The owners of the above ſtrays, muſt prove their property before JOHN TROUP, J. P.

WILLIAM HOLIDAY's STABLES,

Late Mr. JOHN MARLEY's.

BEGS leave to requeſt thoſe gentlemen and ladies who were ſo kind as to favour Mr. MARLEY with their cuſtom, to continue the ſame to him, as they may depend on the greateſt care, and beſt of uſage for their horſes: He is well ſupplied with all ſorts of grain, corn-blades, &c. beſides the two Negroes that always attended the ſtables; likewiſe a ſkilful WHITE MAN, who underſtands dreſſing, training, feeding, riding, and farrying in all its branches, as well as any man in England, from whence he lately came; and who is determined, by his aſſiduity, ſkill and care, to merit the favours of thoſe gentlemen and ladies who are pleaſed to ſend their horſes to the above ſtables.——Stabling and chair-houſes the ſame as with Mr. Marley.——The commencement of the quarterly horſes began the firſt inſtant, which ſhould have been mentioned in Mr. Wells's Paper.

April 22, 1767. WILLIAM HOLIDAY.

Who is ready to treat with any gentleman for a quantity of corn-blades.

FOUND Yeſterday by a Negro Boy, a SILVER WATCH.——The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, paying for this Adverteſement, and rewarding the Boy for his Honeſty.——Enquire of the Printer. *April 27, 1767.*

A Parcel of good Parchment Skins, to be ſold by Charles Crouch.

JERUSALEM,

Or a View of that famous City, after a Work of 7 Years, Done at GERMANTOWN, near PHILADELPHIA;

IS now to be ſeen at Mr. HOLIDAY's, in Charles-Town, from *Nine* to *Twelve* in the Forenoon, and from *Three* in the Afternoon, till *Nine* at Night; each Perſon

To pay FIFTEEN SHILLINGS.

It repreſents JERUSALEM, the Temple of SOLOMON, his Royal THRONE, the noted HOUSES, TOWERS and HILLS; Likewiſe, the SUFFERINGS of our SAVIOUR, from the Garden of GETHSAMENA, to the CROSS on the Hill of GOLGOTHA; an artful Piece of STATUARY, in which every Thing is exhibited in the moſt natural Manner, and worthy to be ſeen by the Curious.

N. B. This INIMITABLE Piece is ſeventeen Feet long, and nine Feet wide:——The Proprietor's ſtay in Charles-Town, will be about a Month.

ROBERT CRIPPS, TAYLOR;

From *LONDON*;

BEGS leave to return his moſt grateful thanks to thoſe gentlemen whom he has had the honour to ſerve, and hopes for a continuance thereof, as his utmoſt endeavours will be in meriting the ſame: He further begs leave to inform his friends and cuſtomers, that he makes gold and ſilver plate holes, gold and ſilver ſtazy ditto; which are performed in as compleat a manner as in the beſt ſhops in London.—A patern card of the above holes may be ſeen at his houſe on the Bay. Any gentleman that chuſes to be waited on, their orders ſhall be punctually obeyed,

By their humble Servant,

ROBERT CRIPPS.

TO BE SOLD,

A Few Dozen of very good Madera Wine, at 5l. 10s. per Dozen, taking 5 Dozen. Alſo Two very good SILVER WATCHES, to be ſold for their Coſt and Charges.——Enquire of the Printer.

CHARLES-TOWN: Printed by CHARLES CROUCH, at his Printing-Office in Elliott-ſtreet.